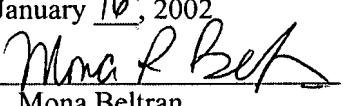


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In re Application of  James Lee et al.  Serial No.: 09/313,299  Filed: May 17, 1999  For: VEGF-RELATED PROTEIN	Group Art Unit: 1646  Examiner: J. Murphy
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>CERTIFICATE OF MAILING</b></p> <p>I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner of Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on</p> <p style="text-align: center;">January <u>16</u>, 2002</p> <p style="text-align: center;"> Mona Beltran</p>	

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

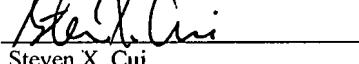
The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fees
Total	18	-	25	0	18	\$0.00
Independent	2	-	3	0	80	\$0.00
<u>Multiple dependent claim(s), if any</u>				270	\$0.00	
<b>Total Fee Calculation</b>						<b>\$0.00</b>

No additional fee is required.  
A Supplemental IDS, PTO-1449 Form and copies of three references are enclosed.  
Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-0630.

Respectfully submitted,  
GENENTECH, INC.

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